VERMONT CATTLE COUNTY ESTIMATES

Vermont's cattle and calf herd totaled 295,000 head as of January 1, 2001. Franklin county contained the largest number of cattle and calves with an estimated 65,500 head or 22 percent of Vermont's cattle and calf inventory. Addison and Orleans counties followed Franklin county with 63,300 and 42,900 cattle and calves respectively.

There were 158,000 milk cows in Vermont as of January 1, 2001, which accounted for 54 percent of Vermont's cattle and calf inventory. Nearly 40,000 of Vermont's milk cows were located in Franklin county followed by Addison and Orleans county with 33,500 and 25,000 milk cows respectively.

VERMONT^{1/} All Cattle and Calves & Milk Cows By County January 1, 2001

County	All Cattle and Calves	Milk Cows
Addison	63,300	33,500
Bennington	4,100	1,800
Caledonia	16,700	8,700
Chittenden	14,700	7,000
Essex	4,800	2,300
Franklin	65,500	39,800
Grand Isle	6,200	3,500
Lamoille	9,600	5,400
Orange	17,900	9,000
Orleans	42,900	25,000
Rutland	19,100	9,200
Washington	9,900	4,700
Windham	8,200	3,900
Windsor	12,100	4,200
STATE TOTAL	295,000	158,000

^{1/}Publication of Vermont county estimates for cattle and calves & milk cows were instituted in 2001.

